

District of Columbia.
County of Alexandria, to wit: 1818.
November Term.
IN CHANCERY.
James Sanderson, Complainant,
vs.
Catherine F. McCall, and John Creighton
and William Gilham, the two last under
firm of John Creighton & Company,
Defendants.

Defendant Catherine F. McCall not
having entered her appearance and gi-
ven security according to the statute and the
order of this court, and it appearing to the
action of the court, upon affidavit, that
said defendant, Catherine F. McCall,
an inhabitant of this District—on mo-
tion of the said complainant, by his counsel,
ordered, That the said defendant, Ca-
therine F. McCall, do appear here on the
day of the next Term, and enter her
appearance to the suit, and give security
performing the decrees of the court; and
the other defendants, John Creighton
Company, do not pay away, convey or
suffer the debts by them owing to, or
estate or effects in their hands belong-
ing to the said absent defendant Catherine
McCall, until the further order or de-
cision of this court; and that a copy of this
be forthwith published for two months
essively in one of the public newspa-
pers published in this county; and that a
copy be posted at the front door of the
house of the said county.
A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
January 25

PROPOSALS
BY JOSEPH M. SANDERSON,
for publishing by subscription,
BIOGRAPHY OF THE SIGNERS
TO THE
DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE,
ACCOMPANIED WITH PLATES;
which will be annexed a history of the
proceedings of congress during the pas-
sage of the law, and the Declaration it-
self, with fac-simile engravings of the
signatures.
By PAUL ALLEN, Esq.

TO THE PUBLIC.
It seems a little surprising that amongst
so many subjects as have been pub-
lished for American Biography, the lives of
those who have affixed their signatures to
the Declaration of Independence have been
looked over or disregarded. The eyes of
Americans have dwelt with rapture upon the
cuneiform that announced to the world that
these United Colonies were, and of right
ought to be, free, sovereign, and independ-
ent states; while we are better acquainted
with the handwriting than with the charac-
ters of many of those illustrious men
who have added their signatures to that in-
strument. The founders of the only re-
public on the globe, have, with few
splendid exceptions, gone to their
rest, and it behoves a generous posterity,
sensible of their obligations, to preserve
their fame. The longer we neglect the
memory of so sacred a debt, the more diffi-
cult does the payment become.—Traits of
individual character are fugitive and evan-
escent; and if they are not snatched by
the hand of the Biographic Muse, at an ear-
ly season, from the cold grasp of death, will
on the part of the oblivion of the body.—
is not the object of the present attempt,
deal in that profusion of indiscriminate
and unparagoned panegyric, so often and
so easily dignified with the name of Biog-
raphy; we wish to represent the characters
they were; they stand in need of no pa-
neegyric; and we earnestly solicit from the
reviving relations and friends of those re-
volutionary patriots all the information that
will tend to a development of character,
and is the creature of circumstance, and
we wish to show the progress of those pa-
triot from their first resistance of colonial
oppression, until they stood forth the noble
and undaunted champions of their country's
dependence. All this can only be done
by a familiar acquaintance with the lives of
these men, and whoever of the surviving
friends or relatives will furnish facts and
circumstances in their possession to unfold
and illustrate their characters, shall be en-
titled to a copy of the work as a recom-
pense. It is contemplated, wherever it is
practicable, further to embellish the medi-
cated work with correct likenesses of the
objects of our biography, executed by the
most eminent artists in the country. For
this purpose we again solicit the assistance
of their surviving relatives and friends. If
any drawing or portrait from which a copy
may be taken, the original shall be faithfully
returned, and shall likewise be remunerated
with a copy of the work. In the first num-
ber it is proposed to give an account of the
Declaration of Independence, from the first
notion that was made on the floor of con-
gress until its final passage into a law, a pe-
riod embracing much curious and secret
history; finally, we promise to add to our
last number the Declaration of Independence
itself, with fac-simile engravings of the
signatures. We have now compendi-
ously stated the objects of our present un-
dertaking, and we hope that it will be un-
necessary to mention that no exertions on
our part shall be spared.

The public are now in possession of our
project, which does indeed seem to be de-
manded, by the avidity so recently dis-
played for the possession of the Declaration
of Independence, since it is of very little im-
port to become acquainted with a man's
name and writing without a previous knowledge
of the man. The secret history of our De-
claration of Independence, the lives of those
who have affixed their signatures to that in-
strument, accompanied by their likenesses,
and finally the Declaration itself, with fac-
similes of the signatures, will bring into
compact view the prominent facts of that
interesting crisis.

CONDITIONS.
I. The work will be published in num-
bers, or half volumes, of 150 pages octavo,
and will be contained in ten numbers.
II. It will be printed on fine paper made
expressly for the purpose, and delivered to
subscribers at two dollars and fifty cents per
half volume or number, payable on deliv-
ery.

Subscriptions will be received at the
office of the Alexandria Gazette.
December 29

Alexandria Gazette & Daily Advertiser.

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TUESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 16, 1819.

[No. 5463.]

For Freight.
The substantial, well built and
fast sailing ship NEW-JERSEY,
burthen, 400 tons or 4300 barrels, now in
complete order for the reception of a cargo.
Apply to
T. H. HOWLAND,
2nd mo. 6

For Sale.
A small schooner, well calculated
for the approaching fishing season.
Also,
Four casks real Bridport seine twine, with
a general assortment of rope, tar, boards,
scantling, shingles, &c. &c.
JOSIAH HEWES DAVIS.
February 15

For Mbbile.
The sloop CYNTHIA, to sail in
three days. Two or four passengers
can be accommodated. Inquire at Vowell's
wharf.
February 12

Wanted Immediately.
Wanted to freight or charter, a
vessel to take 400 bbls. to Mobile.
Owners or masters of vessels may apply at
the Indian Queen Hotel, Alexandria.
February 5

Liverpool Salt and Coal.
FOR SALE, the cargo of the ship Ha-
zard, W. Crabtree, jr. master, from
Liverpool, of salt and coal. Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.

For Freight.
The ship HAZARD, burthen 3800
bbls. is in complete order and ready
to load as soon as her present cargo can be
discharged. Apply as above.
January 19

For Freight.
The sloop ALERT, capt. Smith,
carries about 450 barrels, an excel-
lent vessel, and will take freight for any
southern port. Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
January 14

Spirits, Sugar, &c.
A FEW puncheons of superior quality
Antigua and Jamaica spirits
Superior Barbados sugar, in hhd's
Jamaica pimento.
Also, a parcel of cocoa nuts—for sale
on liberal terms at No. 99 Union-st.
N. REILLY.
September 30

Sales at Vendue.
On every day and Friday
WILL BE SOLD,
At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and
Water streets,
Dry Goods, &c. &c.
Particulars of which will be expressed in
the bills of the day.
All kinds of goods which are on li-
mitation, and the prices of which are estab-
lished, can at any time be viewed and pur-
chased at the lowest market prices.
January P. G. MARSTELLER.

Robert Gray
HAS just received on consignment, for
sale,
Walker's octavo Dictionary, stereotype
edition
Virgil, Cicero, Sallust and Horace Del-
phini.
Clark's Cesar; Ainsworth's Dictionary
Taylor's Enquiry into the Principles and
Policy of the Government of the U. States
Taylor's Arator, being a Series of Agricul-
tural Essays, Practical and Political
School Testament, fine and coarse
Doctor Watts' large and small Catechism
Preservation from the sins
and follies of Childhood and Youth
A few copies of O'Neill's Geography
1 copy Morse's Universal Geography octa-
vo.
February 5

PREMIUMS offered by the Agricultural
Society of Virginia, for the year 1819:—
1. A premium of fifty dollars value, for
the best essay on the general management
of a Virginia farm, founded on practical
experience or observation, and combining
a good rotation, with the management of
live stock, the accumulation of manure, and
other objects pertaining to the business of a
farm.
2. A premium of forty dollars value, for
the best rotation of crops, embracing corn,
wheat, clover and tobacco.
3. A premium of fifty dollars value, for
the best rotation of crops, embracing corn,
wheat, clover and tobacco.
Premiums of fifty dollars value, will be
given for the best essay founded on actual
experience on each of the subjects follow-
ing, to wit:
4. The best and most economical mode
of turning food for milch cows, stock cat-
tle, sheep and hogs, from the 1st of March
to the 15th of May.
5. On the best and most economical mode
of raising and sustaining horses.
6. On the best and most economical mode
of sustaining cattle, sheep and hogs, during
the year.
7. To the person who shall make the
greatest quantity of corn upon ten acres of
land in one body, in the year 1819, to be
supported by the certificate or affidavit of
three disinterested freeholders, and furnis-
hed to the Society previously to the meeting
in December next.
By a standing rule of the Society, it is
ordered, "that the names of parties con-
tending for premiums shall not be made
known, (except to the Secretary,) unless
the prize or prizes be adjudged to them."
JOHN ADAMS, Sec'y.

English & German Almanacs
For 1819,
WITH a large and general stock of
school books and stationery, suitable
for the country trade, for sale by
Oct 8 JOHN A. STEWART.

This day is published,
AND for sale at the bookstore of
JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
The Controversy between M.
B. & Quaro,
which appeared in the Alexandria newspa-
pers in the year 1817, on some points of
ROMAN CATHOLICISM:
To which is added AN APPENDIX, con-
taining a brief notice of Luther—of In-
dulgence—of the Inquisition—and of
the Order of the Jesuits.
BY A PROTESTANT.
Price in boards one dollar Sept 3

PRINTING,
IN
All its various branches,
AT
S. H. DAVIS'S
PRINTING-OFFICE,
PRINTER'S ALLEY,
In the rear of W. F. Thornton's druggist store,
Fairfax-street,
ALEXANDRIA.

Liverpool Salt.
TWO THOUSAND bushels coarse Li-
verpool salt, the cargo of the sloop A-
ler, for sale by LAWSON & FOWLE,
Who have just received 100 boxes fresh
raisins.
January 13

Books and Stationary.
ROBERT GRAY has just received for
sale on commission, an invoice of
Books and Stationary, among which are the
following articles, viz:
Sir Robert Wilson's sketch of the mili-
tary and political power of Russia
Phillips's speeches; Shy's bookkeeping
Say's catechism of political economy
Manners & customs. Accidents of life
Bennett's letters; history of the late war
Volney's Ruins; Browne's Essay on Man
Tales of my Landlord; Taylor's Inquiry
Travels at home; Domestic Medicine
Debates of the Virginia Convention, on
the adoption of the Federal Constitution
Wright's Life of Christ and his apostles
Bonnet boards by the gross, dozen or sin-
gle; superfine vellum cap writing paper
August 28

New Books.
Just received on consignment, and for sale
by the subscriber,
TALES of my landlord, second series
New tales, by Mrs Orie
Zion's Pilgrim, by Robert Hawker, D D
Events of the French Revolution, by the
baroness de Staël; O'Reilly's Greenland
Johnson's quarto dictionary, vol. I
Taylor's Arator, 4th edition
Ralle's tour on the continent
Village sermons; Olive-Branch
Dwight's geography for schools, in which
Europe is divided according to the late act
of the congress of Vienna. Also,
A few copies of Bible News or Sacred
Truths relating to the Living God, his only
Son, and Holy Spirit, by North Worcester,
A M ROBERT GRAY.
Oct 16

Romulus Riggs's
EXCHANGE BANKING HOUSE,
AND
BROKER'S OFFICE,
Bridge-street, Georgetown.

THIS is intended as a permanent estab-
lishment, and the community will find
it one of the greatest conveniences in the
United States, and of great public utility.
At this house the fair exchange on the dif-
ferent bank notes from every part of the union
can at all times be had: It is to be hoped
that, by the operations of this office, the
community will get rid of a host of Shocks,
Shavers, Secret and Running Brokers, who
infest the District, frequently proclaiming
the failure of country solvent banks, for the
express purpose of purchasing the notes of
such institutions at great discounts. Busi-
ness under the following heads will be trans-
acted:—This establishment possesses funds
to negotiate for any amount, and all busi-
ness done for cash.
1st. All bank checks, bills at sight, post
notes not due, and bank notes from all parts
of the United States, bought and sold.
2d. All notes, bills of exchange, divi-
dends and interests, collected and remitted
according to orders.
3d. The notes of the United States' bank
and all of its branches received at par.
4th. Strangers, citizens, and others, may
deposit current money for safe keeping—
and if left for thirty days, or longer, will
receive at the rate of six per cent. per an-
num for the same.
5th. All business in the line of a money
broker promptly attended to for a small
commission.
6th. All southern and western traders,
bringing to the district large sums of south-
ern and western bank notes, can deposit
for safe keeping, and draw for the same as
may suit their convenience.
7th. Prompt attention paid to the orders
of all respectable brokers and exchange of-
fices throughout the United States—who
will please to favor me occasionally with
their rates of exchange on bank notes and
bills.
Georgetown, Dec. 9

Piano Fortes.
TWO elegant fine toned Piano Fortes,
with the additional keys, for sale by
JAS. KENNEDY & SON.

The Gentleman's
ANNUAL POCKET REMEMBRANCE
For 1819,
CONTAINING—The Almanac; ruled
pages for memorandums; duties pay-
able on goods, &c.; naval and custom house
officers; public appraisers; information
concerning patents; post office establish-
ment; official army and navy lists; a cor-
rect register of the American navy; marine
corps; government of the U. States, ex-
ecutive, legislative and judiciary; territorial
governments; intercourse with foreign na-
tions; directors and cashiers of the bank of
the U. States, &c. &c.
ALSO,
THE LADY'S POCKET-BOOK for 1819,
Containing—The Almanac; ruled pages
for memorandums; description of Pitcairn's
island; bishop Watson's letter on a future
state; remarks on female dress and on mar-
riage; morality of the Battlelore; account
of the Cherokee schools. Selected Poetry
Answers to last year's enigmas; char-
ades; new and fashionable songs; rebus-
es. New country dances and waltzes; mar-
keting tables; tables reducing shillings and
pence to cents; also for showing the value
of dollars in pounds, shillings and pence—
Are just received for sale by
JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
November 24

Engineer Department.
Washington, Dec. 2, 1818:
SEALED proposals will be received at
this department until 28th February,
1819, for delivering at Old Point Comfort,
Chesapeake Bay, 30,000 perches of Build-
ing Stone, and 2000 tons of White Free
Stone, of the most durable quality: to be
delivered before the first day of January,
1821. (Signed) W. K. ARMISTEAD,
Lieut. Col. Commandant Engineers.
December 5

Spermaceti Candles, &c.
JUST RECEIVED,
33 boxes Rodman's sperm, candles
20 muscatel raisins
20 bloom do
30 bbls apples—(Newtown pippins)
Men's coarse and fine shoes
Women's shoes and slippers
Boys' and children's shoes
In store,
1500 bushels Albany oats
Together with a general assortment of
groceries.
S. & T. PLUMMER.
December 15

Lawrason & Fowle
HAVE FOR SALE.
100 pieces Russia duck
220 heavy and light Ravens do
120 white and brown sheetings
200 diapers; 100 do crash
50 chests young hyson tea, of the Clo-
thier and Benjamin Rush's cargo
20 pipes Holland gin, superior quality
20 French and Spanish brandy
10 puncheons windward island rum
8 pipes old Sicily Madeira wine
Pipes, half pipes, quarter, and half
quarter cases Superior Old Madeira and
Malmsey wine, from the house of Keers &
Co. 12 do 2nd
400 casks cut nails, assorted sizes, from
150 boxes mould candles, super. quality
400 brown soap
20 barrels sperm oil
Boston and Chelmsford window glass,
of all sizes
Bales of basins, mamoodies and flag
handkerchiefs
150 crates assorted Liverpool ware
80 barrels mackerel, in wh. & hf. bbls.
30 boxes soft shelled almonds.
December 11

Mechanics' Bank of Alex'a.
December 5, 1818.
THE Stockholders of the Mechanics'
Bank of Alexandria are hereby noti-
fied that one quarter of the seventh instal-
ment is called for to this institution, pay-
able at the Bank on the 19th January next,
one quarter on the 19th of February, and
one half of the eighth instalment on the 19th
of March next. By order of the Board,
Dec 7 P. H. MINER, Cashier.

Exchange & Broker's Office,
Georgetown, District of Columbia.
ROMULUS RIGGS.
AT his office, next door below Craw-
ford's tavern, Bridge-st. Georgetown,
will exchange all kinds of Bank Notes on
the most reasonable terms.—All persons
who may have notes on the banks of North
Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia,
would do well to call on him, as he is
largely in the purchase of that kind of mo-
ney, and will take it on the most reasona-
ble terms.—Persons travelling to the West-
ern Country may at all times get the Bank
Notes of the Western Banks at a fair dis-
count, by calling at his Office. For the in-
formation of all persons throughout the U.
States, R. Riggs makes it known, that all
of the Banks of the District of Columbia
pay their notes on demand in specie; and
it would be much to the advantage of the
merchants, and trading to the South and
west, to encourage the circulation of the
Notes of the Banks of Georgetown, Wash-
ington and Alexandria, as it will at all
times answer for remittances to the large
commercial and Atlantic towns,—all per-
sons emigrating or travelling to the west-
ward should be very particular and take
the Notes of the Banks of the District of
Columbia, as they will find them the most
current, there being no counterfeits on the
District Banks. The Merchants' Bank of
Alexandria has long, and failed—all per-
sons should be on their guard, as they will
be imposed on.
August 18

Tobacco and Segars.
JUST received and for sale, first quality
Chewing Tobacco,
AND
Fine flavored Spanish Segars.
Sept 29 WM. DEVAUGHN.

Just Landing,
FROM brig Susan, from Portland, and
for sale at the cabinet warehouse, low-
er end of Prince-street.
Carriages, Waggon, &c.
together with Furniture and Chairs, viz.:
3 top carriages, with plated harness
14 Jersey waggon, with harness
Bureaus; tables; sideboards
Dressing glasses; bedsteads; chairs
A few barrels No 1 mackerel
A general assortment of goods in his line
—comprising the best variety in the district
of Columbia: all of which will be sold low.
ON HAND,
Mahogany, in logs and boards.
Furniture, &c. made and repaired as
usual.
SAMUEL WARD.

Bank Notes.
1000 to 50,000 Dollars.
ROMULUS RIGGS,
At his Exchange and Brokers Office, Bridge-
street, Georgetown.
WISHES to purchase from one to fifty
thousand dollars of North Carolina,
South Carolina, and Georgia bank notes,
which will be taken at a very small dis-
count. All kinds of western and other in-
current bank notes exchanged on the low-
est terms.—Persons travelling to the west-
ward can at all times get the notes of these
banks at a reasonable discount.—Bills of
exchange and bank checks, negotiated on
any part of the United States.—Notes of
United States bank, and all of the branches,
exchanged.
Georgetown, one door below Craw-
ford's tavern, October 17.

I. HOIT'S
PRINTERS' WAREHOUSE,
NO. 32 BURLING-SLIP, NEW-YORK.
PRINTING TYPES, of all the kinds
manufactured in the United States; the
Columbian printing press; common do;
standing presses, various sizes; printing
ink, from the different factories, all kinds;
cast and wrought iron chases, from the su-
perior to the card chase; sheepskins;
typesets; job and book sticks, with
brass or iron slides; mahogany do; shears;
spring steel points; common do; bod-
kins; saws; girths; ball skins for news or
book work; ball stocks, do; ball nails;
wool; wool cards; candlesticks; snuffers;
imposing stones, with frames, for one or two
forms; brass double and single rule; Col-
umn rules; parchments; lye brushes; dust,
proof and pick do; metal cuts of houses,
ships, steam-boats, and stages; cherry and
whitewood cases; do for Greek, figure and
rule, flowers, and algebra; galleys of all
kinds; frames with or without slides; case
racks; swing troughs; wetting do; furni-
ture of all kinds; letter, press and paper
boards; mallets; shooting sticks; plainers;
quoin; press blankets; page cord; blank
cards; Printing Writing and Letter Paper,
of all kinds; together with ornaments and
other articles, all of the best quality.
A large assortment of second hand
type, of almost every description, for sale
as above; specimens of any font of which
will be forwarded to order.
Every kind of PRINTING and WRI-
TING PAPER, supplied at the manufac-
turer's price.
October 8

Musical Tuition.
THE subscriber, at the solicitation of
many individuals, is induced to take
the house next door to Mr. Moore's Notary
office, Prince-street, where he will teach
Instrumental Music this winter. He assures
those who may patronize him, that his ut-
most efforts shall be exerted to give perfect
satisfaction. Subscription papers are left
at Mr. Gray's bookstore.
Ladies will be taught on the Double or
Single Flageolet, and Music arranged and
neatly copied.
Oct 29 LIONEL J. LARKIN.

Gone to the Southward or
Westward,
A YELLOW WOMAN, called Celia
Detcher, in the 23d year of her age,
about 5 feet 2 or 3 inches high—marks like
moles on the right side of her face, which,
with several letters on her left arm, were
made with india ink. She is about four
months gone in a state of pregnancy—
followed her husband, Jim Clark, a yellow
man, who was purchased from this place
and taken away in company with a large
number of slaves, about two weeks ago, by
a man of the name of Bassel. It is suppo-
sed they have gone to the westward: Celia
was born free, and had with her a notarial
certificate of her freedom, and description
of her person. Her mother, the subscriber,
is much afflicted by her manner of going a-
way, and desires that any humane people
who may chance to meet with her, will
persuade her to return, being apprehensive
that when she gets into a strange country,
where she will be unknown and out of the
reach of her friends and those who would
be likely to protect her, attempts may be
made by some avaricious and unprincipled
persons, to deprive her of her liberty, and
sell her for a slave. Should any such at-
tempts be made, fifty dollars reward will
be paid to any person who will communi-
cate such information as shall lead to the
conviction of the offenders, and the recove-
ry of the woman.
HANNAH DETCHER.
Alexandria, October 6, 1818.

To the Public.
AN unusual sensibility has been excited
in the minds of our countrymen by the
copper plate engraving of the Declaration
of Independence recently published, ac-
companied by fac-similes of the signatures
of those illustrious patriots who framed the
document by which our independence was
announced to the world. We feel, while
we dwell on those signatures, as if we were
wreathed into the immediate presence of
characters so exalted, and we seem for a
time to participate in all the emotion which
they felt on the approach of so awful a cri-
sis—Hostile armies, desolate fields, towns
and cities in conflagration—earnest and
death in its most frightful forms appeared in
prophetic vision on the one hand, and more
than all, the complicated horrors, ignominy
and slavery were presented for their ac-
ceptance on the other; they deliberated,
they paused, they trembled, and at last so-
lemnly appealing to the God of battles,
they resolved that the United States were
and ought to be free; sovereign and indepen-
dent. These illustrious patriots, with
five solitary exceptions, have now mingled
in their country's glory and in the recollec-
tion of a grateful people. But it would be
consoling to the present generation, sepa-
rated as they now are from those patriots,
by the intervention of the tomb, to become
more intimately acquainted with their
revolutionary benefactors. We love to dwell
on the features of such men, snatched by
the pencil from the oblivion of the grave,
and emulate the prominent traits of their
biography. Impressed with these ideas, the
subscriber proposes, if suitable encourage-
ment is given, to publish the lives of those
patriots in numbers, until the whole is com-
pleted. The work will be executed in a
style not inferior to any European produc-
tions, and the portraits by masters of ac-
knowledgeed merit. The biography will
be written by Paul Allen, Esq., whose inti-
macy with the several signers, whose fami-
liarity with the privations and hardships
they had to undergo, and whose well known
talents will be sufficient to ensure the pa-
tronage of an enlightened people. In the
execution of this work, all that the pub-
lisher dares to promise is, that he will en-
deavor to deserve the confidence of his
countrymen, and that no exertion on his
part will be wanting to prevent an abuse
of that confidence. He ventures to solicit
the assistance of those gentlemen in pos-
session of authentic facts and anecdotes, by
communicating the intelligence that will
serve to illustrate the characters and to
enrich the biography of those founders of the
American Republic—those who are in
possession of their portraits would enlarge
the obligation by a loan of the same.
A prospectus with the terms will be given
in a few days.

JOSEPH M. SANDERSON,
48, Market-street, Baltimore.
* * Any printer who will publish this no-
tice and become responsible for five scrip-
tural, shall receive one copy of the work.
December 22

Laws of the District of Columbia.
In the press, and will shortly be published,
By DAVIS & FORCE,
IN THE CITY OF WASHINGTON,
"A COMPLETE CODE OF LAWS
FOR THE
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA."

With a copious Index, prepared and report-
ed by the Hon. chief justice CRANCH, to the
congress of the United States, for
their sanction; agreeably to the provi-
sions of the act of the 29th April, 1816,
entitled, "an act authorising the judges
of the circuit court and the attorney for
the District of Columbia, to prepare a
code of jurisprudence for the said Dis-
trict."
The laws by which this District is now
governed, can only be found by a reference
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work of this description.

A few extra copies will be printed for
such persons only as apply previous to the
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Gentlemen who wish to be supplied,
will please to leave their names at this of-
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Dec 5

Wheat, Old Corn, and Mary-
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PURCHASED BY
Oct 24 LAWSON & FOWLE.

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December 12

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Daily Gazette, 7 dols. Country, 5 dols.
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1819.

From the Baltimore Federal Republican.

"While the earth remaineth, seed time and harvest, cold and heat, summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease."

"The contemplation of the creation of the world is a subject truly sublime, and displays in the most forcible manner the omnipotence of the Deity—it is a subject from which we may derive the most interesting instruction."

"From the creatures of God let man learn wisdom."

When it pleased the supreme architect of nature to form this world, this globe was seen to spring from chaos—he clothed it with all the bloom of vegetation, and variegated it with the lofty mountain and the lowly valley. The forests waved their branches to the genial zephyrs—the groves resounded with the songs of the feathered race, who tuned their harmonious notes, and sung in concert the praises of their creator—the plains were covered with living animals who loved in token of their gratitude. Then he formed man of the dust of the earth, "and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life;" he made him arise from his humble position and behold himself lord of creation—man felt the majesty of those grand and interesting objects which the bounteous hand of his maker had thrown round him—his ears were saluted with the gentle rush of water-falls—he stands in silent astonishment and surveys this ample and noble amphitheatre, and the beautiful imagery that adorns it. In the midst of this solitude he beholds something which spoke in silence—an eternal spirit who reigns on the landscape, and who was the author of this wonderful creation. The shades of the night gather around him, and a new scene opens to his view—he beholds the canopy which reposes on the circular boundary of the world, bespangled with the twinkling stars—the morn appears in the midst to cheer with her beams the midnight gloom. Suddenly sleep comes upon him—he reclines on the mossy turf and enjoys the sweets of repose till he is awakened by the first dawn of morning in the eastern horizon—the ethereal curtain unfolds and the sun throws splendor around him, and cheers the earth with his reviving beams. Then he hears the voice of his maker proclaiming in the language of the text, that "while the earth remaineth, seed time and harvest, cold and heat, summer and winter, day and night shall not cease." The wisdom of the institution of the seasons will strike us in a more forcible manner if we consider the subject for a few moments.

Winter. This, although it may appear to some as a gloomy season, is necessary for the accomplishment of the purposes of nature. If this season did not exist the others would not have so many charms, and our land would be greatly diminished in its fertility; those seeds which had been deposited by the husbandman in autumn have time to become matured when the warmth of spring will cause them to leave the bosom of the earth.

Spring.—This is a season which opens upon us with the delightful prospect of approaching plenty and which is calculated to convince us of the utility of winter. The dreary aspect is gradually dissipated, and the face of the earth is clad in all its beauty: the birds are heard tuning their notes in every grove—in every garden and field our eyes are delighted with the charming landscape—our smell is gratified with the delightful odours of flowers.

Summer.—This is a season altho' sometimes rendered disagreeable by the scorching rays of the sun, or by those storms of thunder and lightning which are incident to it, nevertheless it has also its blessings. After nature becomes animated by the showers of spring, she labors during the summer to gratify us, by presenting to our view the fields nodding with grain and fruit, which soon may be gathered for our subsistence.

Autumn.—The flowers of Summer are gone, and in their places we have delicious fruits. The industrious husbandman now gathers his grain into his barns and provides for the coming winter, while the indolent sot is spending his time over the inebriating bowl, careless of future wants; thus we see the goodness of providence to us. Have we been blessed with a productive and plentiful harvest—let us divide with the poor whose fortune has not been equal with ours.

These considerations, therefore, should convince us of the infinite power of the Almighty, and the wisdom manifested in the declaration of the text, "while the earth remaineth, seed time and harvest, winter and summer, day and night shall not cease." O ye fields continue to produce your grain for the good of man!—Ye forests clothe yourselves with thick foliage, and yield him your fruits! And may the supreme gover-

nor of the universe continue his beneficence towards us! Then, in the early dawn of the morning, and at the close of the day, we will repeat praises to Him,

"Whose hand with blessings crowns the year,
"And fills our hearts with joys sincere."

THE LAY PRACHER.

CONGRESS,
SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.
Thursday, February 11.
COASTING TRADE.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill "supplementary to the acts concerning the coasting trade."

[This bill provides, 1st. That for the more convenient regulation of the coasting trade, the sea coast and navigable rivers of the United States be divided into four great districts, the first to include all the districts on the sea coast and navigable rivers, between the eastern limits of the U. States and the western limits of Rhode-Island; the second to include all the districts between the western limits of Rhode-Island and the southern limits of Virginia; the third to include all the districts between the southern limits of Virginia and the southern limits of Georgia; and the fourth, to include all the districts between the river Perdido and the western limits of the United States: 2d. That every ship or vessel of the burthen of twenty tons, or upwards, licensed to trade between the different districts of the United States, is authorized to carry on such trade between the districts included within the aforesaid great districts respectively, in manner, and subject only to the regulations that are now by law required to be observed by such ships or vessels, in trading from one district to another in the same state, or from a district in one state to a district in the next adjoining state: 3d. That every ship or vessel, of the burthen of twenty tons or upwards, licensed to trade as aforesaid, is required, in trading from one to another district, to conform to and observe the regulations that, at the time of passing this act, are required to be observed by such vessels, in trading from a district in one state to a district in any other than an adjoining state: And 4th, that the trade between the districts not included in any of the four great districts aforesaid, shall continue to be carried on in the manner, and subject to the regulations already provided for this purpose.]

The bill received some amendments, not affecting its principle, and was ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

[National Intelligencer.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Friday, Feb. 12.

Mr. Herbert, from the committee on the District of Columbia, reported a bill concerning the banks of the district of Columbia. [Providing for the consolidation of the several banks of the district into two in each town, viz.: in the city of Washington, under the denomination of the bank of Washington and the bank of the Metropolis; in Georgetown, under the denomination of the bank of Columbia and the bank of Georgetown; and in Alexandria, under the denomination of the bank of Alexandria and the bank of Potomac—each with a capital of one million of dollars; the remaining present banks to be merged in those above named, if they shall think proper, as follows: the Patriotic bank to subscribe its capital in the bank of Washington; the Union bank, the Farmers' and Mechanics' bank, and the Central bank of Georgetown, to subscribe their capitals in the new bank of Georgetown; the bank of Alexandria, the Mechanics' bank, and the Union bank of Alexandria, to subscribe their capitals in the new bank of Alexandria; and the Franklin bank to subscribe its capital to the bank of Potomac; the said subscriptions to be made on or before the first Monday in July, in the books to be opened for that purpose. The banks created by this act, to subscribe, on their organization, six per cent on the capitals paid in for constructing turnpike roads connected with the district.]

The bill was twice read and laid on the table.

A SUPPLEMENTAL JOURNAL
Of such proceedings of the house of representatives of the United States, at the second session of the fifteenth congress, as, during the time they were depending, were ordered to be kept secret, and respecting which the injunction of secrecy was afterwards taken off, by order of the house.

Thursday, January 28.
The house having under consideration the amendments proposed by the senate to the bill from this house, entitled "an act making appropriations for the military service of the United States for the year one thousand eight hundred and nineteen."

The second of the said amendments was then read, as follows:

Line 47—Strike out "thirteen thousand dollars," and insert "forty thousand two hundred and seventy-nine dollars, including twenty thousand dollars to defray an expense incurred under the Chickasaw treaty, lately concluded; and including also, the further sum of seven thousand two hundred and seventy-nine dollars, being the aggregate amount of certain sums stipulated to be paid, within 60 days, to certain individuals named in the above mentioned treaty." Whereupon,

On motion of Mr. Lowndes,
Ordered, that the said bill and amendments do lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Storrs,
Resolved, That the President of the U. States be requested to lay before this house, if in his opinion the public interest will not be prejudiced thereby, the journal of the Commissioners by whom the treaty with the Chickasaw tribe of Indians, of the 19th day of October last, was made; and a copy of the said treaty; and whether the same has been ratified or not.

Ordered, That Mr. Storrs and Mr. H. Nelson be a committee to present the foregoing resolution to the President.

The doors were then opened.

Wednesday, Feb. 3.
Mr. Storrs, from the committee appointed on the 28th ult. to present to the President of the United States the resolution of that date, reported that the committee had performed the service delegated, and were informed by the President that the matter thereof would be promptly attended to.

The Message of the President of the United States, of this day, was then read as follows:

To the House of Representatives of the United States.

In compliance with the resolution of the House of Representatives, of the 28th of last month, "requesting me to lay before it if in my opinion the public interest will not be prejudiced thereby, the Journal of the Commissioners by whom the treaty with the Chickasaw tribe of Indians, of the 19th day of October last, was made, and a copy of the said treaty; and communicate whether the same has been ratified," I transmit a report from the Secretary of War, with the documents accompanying it, which contain all the information required by the House of Representatives, by the aforesaid resolution.

JAMES MONROE.

February 2d, 1819.
The house then took up and resumed the consideration of the amendments proposed by the senate to the bill, entitled "An act making appropriations for the military service of the U. States for the year 1819," and the first thereof was concurred in, and the question stated on concurring in the second.

Note.—The injunction of secrecy as to the residue of the proceedings of this day, and part of those of the subsequent one, was not taken off.

Thursday, February 4.

The question was then taken on concurring in the second amendment proposed by the senate to the bill entitled "An act making appropriations for the military service of the United States in the year 1819;" and passed in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk acquaint the senate therewith.

Mr. Bassett then moved that the injunction of secrecy as to so much of the foregoing proceedings as appear upon the journal of secret proceedings, be taken off;

And the question being stated thereon, Mr. Mills moved to amend the said motion so as to remove the injunction of secrecy as to the whole proceedings; and the question being taken thereon, it was determined in the negative.

Mr. Taylor then moved to amend the said motion, to make it read "That the injunction of secrecy as to so much of the foregoing proceedings as appear upon the journal of such secret proceedings, except that part thereof which relates to a proposition to amend the second amendment of the senate to the bill under consideration, and the proceedings on, and disposition of, such proposition be taken off;" and the question being taken thereon, it passed in the affirmative.

The motion was then concurred in as amended.

The doors were then ordered to be opened.

[Ibid.

Charleston, Feb. 6.

LATE FROM FRANCE.

By the brig Duguay-Trouin, arrived here on Thursday, 40 days from Havre, we have been put in possession of a file of Paris papers to the 21st of December, and commercial extracts from Havre of 23d. The latter furnish us with gloomy prospects for the shippers of our staple commodities; Rice and Cotton being on the decline, and the former nearly unsaleable. The French funds had suffered a very serious depression but were again on the rise—5 per cents. which had been as low as 60, were at 64 a 65 on the 20th December—They had previously been as high as 78!—The depression was occasioned by the Allies, and particularly the Russians, throwing their stock into the market nearly at the same moment as they were leaving France.

Private letters also state, that there had been a great number of failures in France Holland, and other parts on the continent.

EXTRACTS OF LETTERS.

"Havre, Dec. 20.

"We avail ourselves of the sailing of the Duguay-Trouin, for your port, to repeat to you what we had the honor of writing to

you by two or three letters in the course of last week, on the state of our market, viz: that there is scarcely any demand for what is left of the Upland Cottons of the old crop. The house which has most of it at this moment offers it at from 2f. 25 to 2 10; and some sales in low qualities have been made even at 2f. 05. We do not believe, when any quantity of the new crop shall come to our market, the price will be above from 2f. 10 to 2 25—Rice is perfectly nominal at 46f."

Dec. 22.
There is a good deal of speculation in Brazil Cottons at 3f. 5c. for Pernambuco; there is, however, very little in market.—54 bales New Orleans were sold yesterday at 2f. 65c. A few bales Uplands have been sold at 2f. 42c; and prices expected to be lower. It is impossible to determine where the decline in Cottons will terminate. Sea Islands are without demand, and may be quoted at 4f. 50c. a 4f. 80c.—Accounts from Paris of the 20th, quote 5 per cents at 64f. 90c to 65f. without any appearance of a depression. Bank Shares, 1500 to 1515f."

From our Paris papers.

The funds at London, Dec. 14.—3 per cent. consols, closed; 3 per cents red 77 1-8; 3d do. 86 5-8; 4 per cents 93 1-2; 5 per cents. and Omnium, closed.

Lord ELLENBOROUGH is dead.

The persons accused of counterfeiting the bills of the Bank of England have been found guilty.

Sales of Cotton in London and Liverpool.—Pernams 23d, to 2s. 3d.; Bengals, 7d to 9d; Surats, 8d.; Uplands, 17 to 19d.; Orleans, 17d to 30d.; Sea-Islands, 2s. 10d to 3s. 8d.

Hamburg, Dec. 8.

The stagnation of business seems to be universal. Hamburg is suffering in this respect with all the principal towns in Europe. It is hoped that this state of affairs will not be of much longer duration. Coffee remains stationary in price; Sugars decline more and more—Havana Whites, 13d to 15—Brown, 10d; Cotton has suffered a fall in price, and Tobacco is without demand.

Bremen, Nov. 28.

Coffee maintains former prices, and indeed has advanced a little: prime qualities bring from 31 to 32d. Tobacco has declined.

ALEXANDRIA:
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1819.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT AT WASHINGTON

Monday, February 15.

Mr. Newton, of Virginia, presented, on Friday last, a petition from a Mr. Dearborn, offering, if supported in it, to establish stage-carriages to run upon our roads, carry passengers, goods on freight, and every thing on the same plan and impelled in the same way as our steam boats, at the rate of a mile in three minutes, upon *railled ways*—and representing the advantages attending them in point of convenience, comfort, safety from robbers, &c. to be so very extraordinary, that I wish I could believe it practicable. I recollect to have read some time ago in the English papers, of something of this kind formed to run on *railled roads* also; and to have wondered at the thing on account of the inevitable expensiveness of the preparatory roads for running it on. Whether this plan now proposed has any resemblance to that in principle or not, I cannot say. But it is a curious affair, and was referred to the proper committee.

Mr. Williams, of North Carolina, made his promised motion for a reduction of the army. Though the whole body of the army was in contemplation of his proposition, his speech, in its details, was chiefly directed against the staff, which he represented as unnecessary and burthensome to the nation, without producing any correspondent benefit in return for it. In doing this, he took each department of it separately, and endeavored to show that even if necessary, it was filled with a much greater and more numerous train of officers than the army, as it now stands, requires. As to the two major generals, he maintained that they were utterly useless—that their head quarters were fixed at their own usual places of residence—and that if they could indeed be of any use, it would be best for them to remain at the seat of government, whence they could better dispense their orders, and give discipline and stability to the service. He then turned to the adjutant-general's department—thence to the quarter-master's—thence to the ordnance and artillery—and from that to the medical department, some of which he thought entirely useless, and most of them burthensome with a number of officers disproportioned to the number of men in the army. He asked what danger now threatened, or what chance there was of a war, to justify such a system of expense? There was none, he said:—why then oppress the people with such a very heavy establishment. He particularly inveighed against the enormous pay given to the major-generals—each of them considerably greater than that of the chief justice of the U. S. and he owned that he could not see without jealousy two military men raised so much higher than the head of our judiciary.

ry, the highest civil officer in the union—the chief justice of the U. States, and hoped the house would accord with him in the necessity of making a considerable reduction. Mr. Williams spoke with much ability and displayed considerable knowledge of the policy and military establishments of the country.

He was answered by general Harrison, who followed him step by step through every separate point of his charges, defending each particular department of the staff in its turn, and demonstrating, that not only each was useful and necessary, but that it was in the highest degree politic and economical to appoint them, and equally so to maintain them, in their full force.—He solemnly declared, that it would have saved forty millions of dollars to this country to have had such a staff at the beginning of the last war. The advantages of a full, well qualified staff, he said, was the grand secret which resulted to the European powers from the dreadful experience of their long and ruinous warfare, and he hoped that this country would avail herself thus cheaply of the knowledge which Europe had purchased so dearly. As to the quarter-master's department, he need do no more than refer to the enormous fortunes made by contractors, and the mischiefs, the miseries, and the mortality they had brought on our troops by their misconduct and frauds. General Harrison, in this speech, displayed the advantage which superior military endowments give a man in a discussion of this kind, by the conviction that followed his arguments, and particularly in that part in which he proved to the house the indispensable necessity of preserving a close communication of strong posts along our frontier—showing that we were every day coming into closer contact with sanguinary nations of savages, and that without an over-awing defence of that kind the country would become another Scythia. After having stated in simple but strong colors, the many hitherto unknown advantages now felt by the general disposition of the army, and the security which the country must derive from it in the result of a hostile incursion by any power whatever—he ascribed them chiefly to the talents and unabated industry of the secretary of war, respecting whom he declared that if that able man continued in office only three years longer, and his plans for the public were supported and furthered by the representatives of the people, it would be truly said of him that he had done as much for his country as any man who had been employed in its councils; and that for his own part he considered the selection of Mr. Calhoun for the head of that department, as one of the most wise and fortunate acts performed by the president, and one that will hereafter redound to his credit, and insure him the gratitude of every honest man in the union.

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IN COUNCIL,

February 4th, 1819.

The following persons were appointed commissioners for holding elections in the different wards on Tuesday the 2d day of March next, for members to serve in the common council for the ensuing twelve months, viz:

FIRST WARD.
At A. Rhodes's tavern on Union-street.
Alexander McKenzie,
John T. Brooks,
Reuben Johnson.

SECOND WARD.
At the Council Chamber,
Colin Auld,
Guy Atkinson,
William Bartleman.

THIRD WARD.
At Shepherd's tavern, corner of King and St. Asaph streets,
John Roberts,
Adam Lyman,
John Grubb.

FOURTH WARD.
At Joseph C. Gird's, corner of Duke and St. Asaph Streets,
Thomas Lawson,
William D. Simms,
Robert L. Taylor.

A copy.
Teste, I. P. THOMPSON, C. C.
February 6 1819

Exchange Coffee-House

MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, Feb. 14.
Schr Mary, Clements, 6 days fr. Baltimore, tobacco, groceries, &c. to merchants of the District. On Friday, saw ships Fair Trader and Thomas, hence, below Quantico, proceeding down with a strong N. W. wind, on Thursday saw a large topsail schr. off Piney Point, bound up.

Fifty Dollars Reward.

WAS stolen from my wagon in Georgetown, on Sunday night the 14th inst. a light grey horse, about 16 hands high, well made, natural trotter, long mane, a switch'd tail, has a remarkable spot under one of his eyes, about the size of a quarter of a dollar, of a brown color, newly shed all around. The above reward will be given for the apprehension of the thief and delivery of the horse to me, residing in Fauquier county, Va. near Morrisville, or twenty-five dollars for the horse only, or such information so that I get him again.

DANIEL ALLEN.

February 16

Valuable Stand
For business of any description
FOR SALE.

The subscriber offers the new three story brick house that he now occupies of King and Washington streets, with or without the two adjoining on Washington street. There application to rent it for a Tavern.

Also,
A two story brick dwelling which he now resides, binding on ton street, within fifteen feet of the premises.

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A garden lot, fenced in—on the Queen and Columbus streets—3 the former and 100 feet on the latter erected thereon.

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1000 acres of land on the water division river, in Virginia—the soil to be excellent and heavy timber will either sell for cash, merchant exchange for town property.

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A YOUNG Negro Woman and Children. She is a good cooper and ironer.—Enquire of the Publisher.

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ROBERT JAMIE

February 15

Mechanics' Bank Stock

ONE THOUSAND shares Mechanics' Bank Stock, for sale on a liberal dit by

LINDSAY & H

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Houses and Stores

To Rent.

TWO brick houses and stores at corner of King and Henry streets. One brick house and store on King street Patrick and Henry streets. Two brick houses on Cameron near the theatre. One brick house on Royal-street the time of the late occupant, Chas. Inquire of

MANDEVILLE & LARM N. B. Sunday building lots on F. Duke, Prince, Cameron, Pitt, Queen Royal streets, for sale or on ground.

February 13

Negroes.

WANTED, a few negroes called for a farm. Young boys and would be preferred. Persons wishing may find a purchaser at the Indian Hotel, in Alexandria. February

Miss Porter's new Roman

JUST received, and for sale by JAMES KENNEDY & Co. The Fast of St. Magdalene

A romance, in two volumes, By Miss Anna Maria Porter

Letters from Geneva and France, written during a residence of near three years in different parts of those countries, addressed to a Lady in Virginia by her daughter, in two volumes.

February 10

Notice.

THE partnership of Patons & B. John W. Massie & Co. and Ezra & Co. being dissolved, by the death of John B. Paton as far as relates to his part in those concerns, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted, whose credit has expired, that payment of accounts is required immediately.

WILLIAM PATON, JOHN W. MASSIE, EZRA KINSEY.

1 Mo. 29

Wire Manufactory.

THOMAS SHREVE & Co. At their store on King-street, between Royal and Fairfax streets, Alexandria, manufacture all kinds of

Wire Sieves, &c.

and keep constantly on hand a general assortment for sale. Country merchants are invited to call.

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The Editors of the Winchester Gazette of Liberty, and Washingtonian publish the above three times, and their accounts to this office for payment.

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ROBERT JAMIESON,
February 15 Secretary.

Mechanics' Bank Stock.
ONE THOUSAND shares Mechanics'
Bank Stock, for sale on a liberal cre-
dit by
LINDSAY & HILL.
February 15

Houses and Stores
To Rent.
TWO brick houses and stores at the cor-
ner of King and Henry streets
One brick house and store on King, be-
tween Patrick and Henry streets
Two brick houses on Cameron street,
near the theatre
One brick house on Royal street, for
the time of the late occupant, Chas. Tyler.
Inquire of
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
N. B. Sundry building lots on Fairfax,
Duke, Prince, Cameron, Pitt, Queen and
Royal streets, for sale or on ground rent.
February 13

Negroes.
WANTED, a few negroes calculated
for a farm. Young boys and girls
would be preferred. Persons wishing to sell
may find a purchaser at the Indian Queen
Hotel, in Alexandria. February 9

Miss Porter's new Romance.
JUST received, and for sale by
JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
The Fast of St. Magdalen,
A romance, in two volumes,
By Miss Anna Maria Porter.
ALSO,
Letters from Geneva and France, written
during a residence of near three years in
different parts of those countries, and ad-
dressed to a Lady in Virginia by her Fa-
ther, in two volumes.
February 10 wfmsft

Notice.
THE partnership of Patons & Butcher,
John W. Massie & Co. and Ezra Kin-
sey & Co. being dissolved by the decease
of John B. Paton as far as relates to his inter-
est in those concerns, notice is hereby given
to those persons indebted, whose time of
credit has expired, that payment of their
accounts is required immediately.
WILLIAM PATON,
JONATHAN BUTCHER,
JOHN W. MASSIE,
EZRA KINSEY.
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Lost.

THE last of May, on the road between
Alexandria and Fairfax Court-House,
a red bag, containing a silver urn, marked
A. B. a box of Cologne water, a great many
clothing belonging to some young ladies
and children, and a small mahogany box
containing some trinkets, &c.
A reward of twenty dollars will be given
for the above goods.
ANN TURNBULL
Middletown, Frederick co. } fmw3t
Va. February 12.

Lost.
BETWEEN Alexandria and Mr. E.
Taylor's, near Ravensworth, a
Red Morocco Pocket-Book,
containing fifty-two dollars in money; one
twenty dollar note of the bank of Alexan-
dria; one ten dollar note of the Farmers'
bank; one ten dollar note of the Mechanics'
bank; the balance small notes of the Cor-
poration and Mechanics' bank; a number
of papers that are of no use to any other
person but the owner; also, a note for four
hundred and fifty dollars, drawn in my fa-
vor by Mr. Henry Lee, negotiable at the
bank of Alexandria. Whoever has found
the said pocket book, and will deliver it to
the subscriber, with its contents, shall re-
ceive ten dollars reward.
S. BARTLE.
February 13 3t

St. Ubes Salt & Lemons.
FOR SALE, the cargo of the schooner
Union, captain Swain, from St. Ubes,
3000 bushels St. Ubes salt
25 boxes lemons
Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
February 12

Shoes and Hats
S. & D. REED
HAVE just received a fresh supply,
consisting of the following kinds—
Ladies' morocco booties "colored
Do walking shoes, black &
Do leather do
Do cork sole do
Do morocco slippers with military heels
Do black and colored
Do kid slippers
Misses' and children's morocco and lea-
ther's calf skin shoes (lith shoes)
Do thick do; boys' thick and bound do
Men's and boys' low priced hats
Boys' white wool low priced do
2 boxes ladies' fine straw bonnets
All of the above articles are offered for
sale at low prices for cash, or at the usual
time to punctual dealers that purchase by
the quantity. We take this method to in-
form country merchants that we have made
arrangements for a large supply of shoes
for the ensuing spring, and shall be able to
furnish them at the lowest Baltimore and
Philadelphia prices.
February 12 t

W. & W. Hannon,
CARPET-MAKERS.
RESPECTFULLY inform their friends
and the public in general, that they
still continue to carry on the above business
in all its various branches, at the same old
stand, Royal-st. between King and Prince,
and have now on hand a handsome assort-
ment of cabinet ware, all of their own ma-
nufacture; consisting of side-boards, secre-
taries and book cases, bureaus, ladies' work
stands, mahogany and stained wood bead-
steads, cradles, sofas and easy-chairs, one
handsome mahogany writing desk, &c. &c.
Also, on hand a large quantity of St. Do-
mingo and Bay Mahogany, in log and
boards, and cut to any dimensions at a
short notice—four or five thousand feet of
elegant veneers for bureaus and secretaries,
all of which they are determined to sell low-
er than the same quality can be had in the
district. All kinds of upholstery work done
as usual.
They would rent for one or more years
a very excellent shop and yard for a car-
penter, wheelwright, or blacksmith, sit-
uated on Royal-street, between Prince and
Duke street.
Feb 11 t

New Clover Seed, Cheese, &c.
FIFTY bushels fresh warranted Clover
Seed
60 casks Goshen cheese
50 barrels whiskey
40 kegs lard in nice shipping order
35 firkins butter
800 lbs. Tennessee live feathers
5 pipes choice London particular Ma-
deira
Murdock & Co. and Mack & Co's
brands, which will be sold low by the pipe
or less quantity.
N. B. A general assortment of groceries
as usual.
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

Sugar, Molasses, &c.
LINDSAY & HILL, have just received
from Norfolk, per the sloop Ocean,
captain Middleton,
5 hds and 5 bbls sugar (low priced)
5 do retailing in lasses
1 pipe 4th proof gin
40 boxes smoked herrings;
And from Baltimore,
35 bags St. Domingo coffee.
In Store,
Jamaica and W. I. rum, in hds.
Sugar in hogsheads and barrels
Imperial and young hyson tea, in ton
caddy boxes
Soft shelled almonds and pimento, in
bags
Ground ginger in kegs
38 bbls mess shad, put up particularly
60 tons plaster
Family flour, as usual

Jones's Point.
THE subscriber wishes to let for one sea-
son or more his excellent fishery, or is
willing to work it out on shares.—Applica-
tion to be made to him personally, or writ-
ten particulars left at Mr. George Hill's,
triplicate-worker, Fairfax-street, Alexandria.
He also informs the inhabitants of Alexan-
dria, and its neighborhood, that he has
invented a nightlight to bed rooms, by means
of which the door is bolted or unbolted
without the trouble of rising out of bed—
House bells put up and repaired in the
neatest manner, and on the most reasona-
ble terms. Orders left as above directed,
will be duly attended to.
February 8 G. ONES.

Bricklayers and Stone Masons
Wanted.
I WISH to employ for the ensuing season
a number of bricklayers and stone mas-
ons, to whom constant employment and
good wages will be given. at Old Point
Comfort, on Chesapeake Bay. None need
apply but good workmen and men of steady
habits. Apply to the subscriber at old
Point Comfort. BOLITHA LAWS.
February 6 1st
The National Intelligencer and Federal
Gazette will publish the above till April 1.

Mechanics' Bank,
Alexandria, February 5, 1819.
THE stockholders of this bank are here-
by notified that an election will be held
at the Court-house in this place, on
Monday the 8th day of March next, for the
purpose of electing fifteen directors to serve
the ensuing year.
P. H. MINOR,
February 5 Cashier.

Engineer Department,
Washington, January 26, 1819.
PROPOSALS will be received for the
delivery of 4000 casks of Thomaston
lime; 2000 casks at Old Point Comfort,
Chesapeake Bay, in the months of Febru-
ary, March and May; and 2000 at Port
Washington, on the Potomac, in the months
of March, May, July, September and No-
vember.
W. K. ARMISTEAD,
Lieut. Col. Commandant Engineers.
February 1 1m

Sugar, Apples, &c.
RECEIVED by the sloop Rising-Sun,
capt. Smith, from Providence, R. I.
and for sale by
E. CORNING,
Vowell's wharf,
60 bbls brown sugar
5 hds N. E. rum
2 pipes gin
27 bbls cider
50 do apples
70 bushels potatoes
3000 wt. codfish
jan 4

Cotton.
TWENTY-TWO bales excellent qual-
ity Georgia Upland—just received
and for sale by
T. H. HOWLAND.
January 4

Hemp and Sugars.
TWENTY tons very superior clear Rus-
sia hemp.
32 barrels Muscovado sugars,
Landing from brig Ventrosa, capt Allen,
from Boston, for sale by
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
February 1

For Rent,
That large three story fire proof
warehouse, lately built by the sub-
scriber on Thompson's wharf.
Feb 1 1m JACOB MORGAN.

NEW CLOVER SEED
RECEIVED this day, and on sale by
T. CRUSE.
Also,
Butter in firkins, and whiskey in barrels.
January 29 1m

To Rent,
That new brick dwelling, plea-
santly situated on King-street, op-
posite A. C. Cazenove's Esq's stand,
and now occupied by S. Harper, Esq.
Also a store and warehouse, with dry floor-
ed cellars, fitted up for business, at the south
west corner of King and Patrick streets;
and a comfortable frame dwelling house,
with stable and garden, nigh to the above.
Possession of any of the property may be
had immediately. RICHARD SLADE.
Who having relinquished business, desires
all accounts to be handed for settlement at
his father's counting room
Jan 29

Marshal's Sale.
BY virtue of a decree of the court of the
United States for the fifth circuit in
the Virginia district, in a suit in chancery,
wherein Mary Wormley, wife of Hugh
Wallace Wormley, by George F. Strother
her next friend, and John S. Wormley,
Mary W. Wormley, Jane B. Wormley and
Anne B. Wormley, infant children of the
said Mary and Hugh W., by the said George
F. Strother their next friend plaintiff, against
Hugh Wallace Wormley, Thomas Stratte,
Richard Veitch, David Castellan and
Charles McCormick, defendants, will be
sold at public auction on the third day of
February next, if fair, if not, the next fair
day, on the premises,
A Tract of Land

containing 300 acres, and also the reversion
of fifty acres adjoining the same tract of 300
acres, lying and being in the county of Fre-
derick and state of Virginia, situate on the
north side of the Shenandoah river, and ad-
joining the said river about two miles be-
low Snickers ferry—one hundred acres of
which is finely timbered, and the whole
tract well watered with a never failing
spring; the buildings are an excellent dwell-
ing house, with other suitable outbuildings;
a good barn, corn house, blacksmith's shop,
stable, &c. &c.
This land, I am told, has for the last
seven years been highly improved with clo-
ver and plaster of Paris: upon the whole it
is considered to be one among the best
farms in the county, combining all the ad-
vantages of good society, salubrity of cli-
mate and fertility of soil. Terms of sale
will be as follows: three thousand dollars
in cash, or a negotiable note with an en-
dorsement or endorsements to be approved of
by the marshal of the said district, or his de-
puty who may act, and payable at one of the
branches of the Farmers' bank of Vir-
ginia at Winchester, and the residue of the
purchase money in three equal payments
of one, two and three years; the purchaser
or purchasers giving bonds and security or
securities, to be approved of by the marshal
or his deputy, with a deed of trust on the
said land so sold, as a further security for
the payments of the said bonds.

WILLIAM MANN, D. M.
For ANDREW MOORE, Marshal.
The above Sale is post-
poned until the 20th of March.
Richmond, February 1

Sugar and Beef.
FIFTY barrels Muscovado sugar
70 barrels No. 1 beef
Landing from sloop Joseph and for sale by
Jan 25 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Salt.
TEN THOUSAND bushels of Liver-
pool coarse—Cádiz and Turks Island
salt, received per brig Benefactor and
Dora, and schur Virginia Ann, and for sale
by M. Miller & Son, or
Jan 22 T. H. HOWLAND.

Mahogany on Sale.
THE subscriber has on hand and offers
for sale 4 or 5000 feet first quality St.
Domingo, and Bay MAHOGANY, at the
Baltimore prices for CASH, or to punctual
customers at the usual credit.—Gentlemen
who are building can be supplied with
band railing cut to any dimensions, at a
short notice—also any orders for furniture
which the subscriber may be favored with,
from persons residing either in town or
in the country will be promptly attended to
and executed in a superior style.
ROBT. ABERCROMBIE,
Corner of King and Alfred streets,
Jan 20

Ground Alum, Fine Salt, &c.
NOW landing from sch Geo. Washing-
ton, and sloop Experiment, from Nor-
folk, and for sale by LINDSAY & HILL,
250 sacks fine Liverpool salt
145 do coarse do
1200 bushels do do
35 bbls herrings and
40 dozen corn brooms
January 1

Sugar, &c.
LANDING from the brig Union, capt.
Williams, from Marblehead, and for
sale by
LAWRASON & FOWLE,
150 bags white sugars, superior quality
220 pieces 1st and 2d quality Russia
duck
200 do heavy and light ravens do
200 do white and brown shirtings
4000 lbs soft shelled almonds.
Jan 1

New Livery Stable.
THE subscriber has established, on the
wharf, a stable of horses, and he takes
this method of acquainting the citizens of
Alexandria, particularly those gentlemen
residing on the wharf, that there will be
good saddle horses and carriages always
in constant readiness for those who may
please favor him with their calls.
N. B. Horses will be taken at livery by
the day, week, or month.
WM. B. STUART.
December 17 d3m

L. Masterson,
BOOT AND SHOE-MAKER.
RETURNS his grateful thanks to his
friends and the public in general, for
the liberal patronage he has received in his
line of business, and hopes they will con-
tinue it. He has on hand a good assort-
ment of the best Philadelphia leather, which
he intends manufacturing in the best man-
ner: for neatness and durability it will be
excelled by none. He has on hand a good
assortment of
Boots, Breeches and Shoes,
which he will sell on reasonable terms for
cash, or to punctual customers at the usual
credit, at his old stand opposite the Gazette
office, Royal-street.
N. B. Two boys of good disposition
would be taken as apprentices to the above
business. Those from the country would
be preferred.
August 24

Just Received,
BY late arrivals from New-York, Boston
and Portland, a large assortment of
goods, comprising the following articles,
viz:
3 Grecian sofas, good quality
3 small side boards
26 dozen chairs, different kinds
12 bureaus
1 case sup. quality looking glasses
Work and light stands
20 dozen common brooms
10 plated hatstems
Also, by schooner Sag, from Baltimore,
35 logs St. Domingo mahogany
In Store,
25 logs do, and a large assortment of
furniture—For sale by
SAMUEL WARD,
Lower end of Prince-street.
Furniture made and repaired, as
usual.
December 15

Bolting Cloths.
THE subscriber has this day received, a
large and elegant assortment of Bol-
ting Cloths, of a superior quality, which
will be offered for sale at the store of
Messrs. Butts & Cawood, King-street,
Alexa., where he intends keeping a com-
plete assortment in future.
Sept 6 AMOS ALEXANDER.

Western Money.
A FEW thousand dollars of Kentucky,
Ohio, and Pennsylvania bank notes
for sale at a liberal discount, well worth
the attention of drovers and others. Apply at
my Exchange Banking House and Broker's
Office, Bridge-street, Georgetown.
December 10 ROMULUS RIGGS.

Winchester and Alexandria
STAGE.
THE Winchester and Alexandria stage,
in future, will stop at the Indian Queen
Tavern, and will leave said tavern on the
same days as before from the City Hotel—
fare as usual.
Also an accommodation stage will leave
the same tavern for Washington & George-
town every day at 10 o'clock A. M. and
return at 4 P. M.—fare seventy-five cents.
N. B. All baggage in either stage will be
at the risk of the owners
January 1

Barn Landing Fishery.
I WILL rent this excellent fishery, for 5
years or less; application can be made
to me personally or by letter, addressed to
Pohick Church, Fairfax Co. Va. It will be
useless to offer less than 300 dollars, that
sum having already been refused.
GEORGE MASON.
Gunston, October 5

SALES AT AUCTION.

By A. S. MARSTELLER.
THIS DAY, at 10 A. M.
At the auction store, corner of Prince and
Water Streets, will be sold,
Superfine and fine cloths
Cassimeres
Coatings
Flushings
Silk, cotton and cloth shawls
Domestic cottons
Bennet cords
Rose and colored blankets
Felted cloths
White, red, scarlet and spotted flannels
Stockinets
Bombazetts
Swansdown, toilet and Marstilles
vestings
Linen and cotton checks
Calicoes
Silk velvets
Plaid silk, satin Florence
Kid gloves
Cambric, leno and jaconet muslins
Silk fringe
Flush trimmings
Jeans
Colored cambrics
Ribbons, laces, buttons, thread, &c.
Figured and yellow gauze
ALSO,
60 reams writing paper
50 gin cases
10 bags pimento
5 boxes Havana segars
5 chests imperial tea (late import.)
5 bbls 15 doz. bottles Pennsylvania
crab cider
Furniture, beds, &c. &c.
On a liberal credit.
WILL BE ADDED TO THE SALE,
Lemons.
35 boxes fresh Lisbon lemons.

Coffee at Public Sale.
ONE hundred and thirty-one bags coffee,
imported in the schmr. Eliza Barker,
captain Storms, from St. Thomas, will be
sold at auction on WEDNESDAY the 17th
inst. at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The cof-
fee now lies in the store of Mr. Daniel So-
mers. Terms at sale.
February 15 3t

Public Sale.
ON THURSDAY, the 25th inst. will
be sold at the CENTRE MILLS, near
Alexandria, part of the personal estate of
Samuel Bland deceased, consisting of a
complete set of Blacksmith's, and Mill-
wright's tools—also, a quantity of machi-
nery tools. Terms at the sale.
JANE BLAND,
Administratrix of Samuel Bland.

Sheriff's Sale.
BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me
directed, from Charles county court,
will be exposed to public sale on THURS-
DAY the 25th inst. (February) at John
Palmer's tavern, at 12 o'clock, for ready
cash, one NEGRO GIRL, being seized and
taken as the property of Smith Mudd and
Edward Mudd, administrators of Smith
Mudd, to satisfy a debt due to Horatio C.
McEldey, executor of Jacob Duckett.
GEORGE H. LANHAM,
Sheriff Prince George's county.
February 16 3t

Slaves for Sale.
ON the 10th day of April, in the present
year, will be sold to the highest bid-
der, for ready money, in the town of Lees-
burg, in the county of Loudoun, several va-
luable slaves, in pursuance of a deed of
trust. The title is indisputable.
Jan 5 tnt10 EDM: I. LEE.

Orphans' Court.
Alexandria County, } 1819.
February Term.
ORDERED, that the Executor of Jacob
Fortney, deceased, do insert the usual
advertisement three times a week for three
weeks in the Alexandria newspapers.
A Copy,
Teste, A. MOORE, Reg. of wills.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE.
That the subscriber, of Alexandria county,
in the district of Columbia, has obtained
from the Orphans' Court of said county, let-
ters testamentary on the estate of Jacob
Fortney, late of the county aforesaid, de-
ceased. All persons having claims against
the said decedent, are hereby warned to
exhibit the same to the subscriber, with the
vouchers thereof, passed by the Orphans'
Court, on or before the 5th day of August
next, or they may by law be excluded from
all benefit to said estate, and those in-
debted thereto are required to make immediate
payment.
Given under my hand this 5th day of
February, 1819. HERVEY SUMMERS,
Executor of Jacob Fortney, dec'd.

Morning and Evening Stage
To and from Georgetown, Washington City
and Alexandria, now running.
WILL leave Crawford's tavern, in
Georgetown, at 10 o'clock, A. M.
passing through the city of Washington
calling at all the public houses on the Ave-
nue, and arrive at Alexandria by half past
11 o'clock—leave Brown's City Hotel A-
lexandria, every evening at 4 P. M., and
arrive at Georgetown the same evening.
Fare 1 dollar—All baggage and parcels
at the risk of the owner or owners thereof.
THE PROPRIETORS.
N. B. Books are kept at Messrs. Davis
& O Neal's Tavern, City of Washington,
for the entry of passengers in the above
line.
The Coaches will leave Brown's City
Hotel, Alexandria, at 10 o'clock A. M. and
arrive at Georgetown at 12 o'clock
passing thro' Washington, and returning
leave Crawford's at 4 o'clock, arrive at Alex-
andria the same evening.
By means of the arrangement persons
having business to transact in either place
may be accommodated with a cheap and
expeditious conveyance.
January 22

Exchange Coffee-House
MARINE JOURNAL.
PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, Feb. 14.
Sch Mary, Clements, 6 days fr. Balti-
more, tobacco, groceries, &c. to merchants
of the District. On Friday, saw ships Fair
trader and Thomas, hence, below Quan-
tico, proceeding down with a strong w. w.
wind, on Thursday saw a large topsail
chr off Piney Point, bound up.

Fifty Dollars Reward.
WAS stolen from my waggon in
Georgetown, on Sunday night the
1st inst. a light grey horse, about 16 hands
high, well made, natural trotter, long mane,
switch'd tail, has a remarkable spot un-
der one of his eyes, about the size of a
quarter of a dollar, of a brown color, newly
ed all around. The above reward will be
given for the apprehension of the thief
and delivery of the horse to me, residing in
aquiver county, Va. near Morrisville.
Twenty-five dollars for the horse only, or
such information so that I get him again.
DANIEL ALLEN.
February 16 3t

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HOUSES, LANDS &c.

Building Lots or Sale.

SUNDRY good lots upon Cameron, Pitt and Queen streets, on liberal credit, at reasonable prices to purchasers who would build thereon. For terms enquire of MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

October 13

For Sale or Rent.

THAT valuable property called CONWAYS WHARF, with the Warehouses thereon fronting on Union-street. The warehouses will be rented separately if required. For terms apply to WM. HERBERT, jr.

August 25

To Let.

THAT convenient Brick house on Royal street, now occupied by Mr. Charles Tyler—possession to be had the 22nd of December next—for terms enquire of MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

November 3

To Rent.

A convenient BRICK Dwelling house, at the upper end of King-street, suitable for a genteel family. Also two frame dwellings and shops. Apply to JAMES SANDERSON.

November 12

Houses for Sale.

The premises on the South east corner of King and Henry streets, containing 2 good dwelling houses, with stores ready fitted up for business.

Also, the brick dwelling house and store near to the former, lately in possession of Dennis M. Lyles, Esq. for whose time therein, the 7th of Feb. next, it may be rented.

All the above property would be sold upon liberal credit, the payment being secured. Inquire of MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

September 28

Gunston for Sale.

THIS elegant estate is situated on the Potomac, 16 miles below Alexandria—it is bounded on three sides by the Potomac and Potomac creek, and contains nearly 3,000 acres of land, level and fertile, to which are attached six shad and herring fisheries, two of which command the river channel. This land will be laid off in four tracts, so as to have one or more fisheries to each; these tracts will be again divided if requisite. This estate is level and beautifully situated, very fertile, and remarkably healthy. Plaster acts with an effect equal to that of any part of Virginia or Pennsylvania—I have used 500 bushels in twelve months, and such is its beneficial operation, that were I to keep this land I should considerably increase the quantity. A manufacturing mill is distant about two miles, on a stream navigable for vessels carrying 1200 bushels of wheat, where the Baltimore and Dist. of Columbia prices are given for grain—being bounded on 3 sides by water, a small extent only of fence is necessary to inclose the whole: it would be admirably adapted to grazing. The improvements are a large and very substantial brick mansion, 40 by 70 feet, with every necessary out-house, three commodious barns, houses for Negroes, and fish houses at each of the fisheries. 120,000 bricks and 1000 bushels of lime are just burnt on the premises. There is a considerable extent of live fence, both useful and ornamental, two orchards of well selected apples and peach, besides an abundance of other choice fruit. More than 150 acres are in clover, 200 in corn, and land is in preparation for sowing 250 bushels of small grain. Any quantity of hay can be cut from the low grounds, some of which (and all might) have been reclaimed at a trifling expense. The river and creeks, abound with wild fowl, particularly canvas backs, the woods with deer and a variety of other game. Mules, cattle, highly improved sheep, farming utensils and household furniture can be had. The terms of sale will be accommodating. Property in any of the cities, negroes, bank stock, western lands, or lands near the Ridge, will be taken in payment.—Letters must be addressed to me at Pollock Church, Fairfax county, Virginia.

September 4

Valuable Property for Sale.

THE subscriber is desirous of selling a handsomely situated farm, on Hunting creek, in Fairfax county Virginia, adjoining the Mount Vernon estate and the lands of general Thomson Mason, four miles from Alexandria, containing about 240 acres, 80 of which are in wood—40 to 50 in thriving meadow of clover and timothy—a part of the residue recently seeded with wheat and rye, and clover, last spring—the whole enclosed with a new post and rail fence.—The improvements are, a comfortable and convenient frame dwelling house and kitchen, smoke house, poultry house, granary and stables.—There is on this place a rich and productive garden, and a large body of marsh meadow, from which may be saved annually 100 tons of hay, nearly as nutritious as the best timothy or clover.—With the farm would be sold a number of very valuable horses, cows and sheep; waggon, carts, and a variety of farming utensils and household and kitchen furniture; corn, oats and rye, and 40 tons hay. Also, adjoining the one above described, a farm containing 160 acres, recently enclosed, on which is a brick house, which a trifling expense would render comfortable. The soil is excellent, and a considerable part might be easily converted into meadow.—It would be sold with the other or separately. Also, a number of valuable servants, male and female. To prevent unnecessary application, he would observe, that they will only be sold to persons residing in the District or its vicinity, and not to be carried from it. The subscriber will also sell the greater part of his household furniture, which is new and handsome. For terms of all or any part of the above property, apply to NORLET HERBERT, Esq. or FRANCIS ADAMS, Jr.

September 4

For Rent.

A very convenient dwelling house on the lower part of Royal-st. adjoining the house now occupied by Mr. Genereux. Possession may be had immediately.

January 1

For Rent.

A convenient two story framed dwelling house, pleasantly situated, between Water and Gibbon streets. Possession will be given immediately. For terms apply to ROBERT HUNTER.

January 2

Aromatic Snuff. For Catarrh Headache.

THIS Snuff, as celebrated for its agreeable fragrance as for its efficacy in the cure of recent catarrh and slow nervous headache, is used and approved by the present professor of chemistry in the university of Cambridge, mass. and by some of the most respectable gentlemen of the faculty in the United States.—It is also particularly recommended by Dr. Waterhouse, late professor of the theory and practice of physic, in the above seminary—whose certificate accompanies each bottle.—Sold by JAMES KENNEDY & SON, Sole Agents for Alexandria.

September 24

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

Samuel Smith, Complainant,
AGAINST
Leonard Mudd and John Cohagen, Defendants.

THE defendant Leonard Mudd not having entered his appearance to this suit and given security according to the statute and rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant, John Cohagen, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendant, Leonard Mudd, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy,
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
January 25

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, ss. } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

ON the petition of Henry Boswell, a rule is granted him against the representatives of John Webster, deceased, and against Rezin Webster, to show cause, on the first day of the next term, why a piece of ground situated in the town of Alexandria, late the property of William R. Webster, should not be sold, and the money divided among the representatives of the said William Webster, according to law. It is ordered that this rule, as to Rezin Webster, be published in one of the Alexandria newspapers three weeks successively.

A Copy,
Teste, EDM. I. LEE, C. C.
January 26

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit, } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

Philip Triplett and Christopher Neale, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Triplett & Neale, Complainants,
AGAINST

Thomas Vannome, Joseph Miligan, James B. Holmead, John Withers and Reuben Withers, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of John & Reuben Withers, Robert McCrea and William Gregory, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Robert McCrea & Co.; Thomas H. Beall, William Cooper; Samuel Lindsay and Laurence Hill, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Lindsay & Hill; Thomas Janney and John D. Brown, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Thomas Janney & Co.; Bryan H. Mullin, Bryan Hampson and Robert H. Harrison, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Bryan H. Mullin & Co.; Anthony Holmead, John Steinius, John Ingle and Eleazer Lindsay, under the firm of Ingle & Lindsay, Defendants.

THE defendant Thomas H. Beall, not having entered his appearance to this suit and given security according to the statute and rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, is not an inhabitant of this District, on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
January 26

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

John Withers and Reuben Withers, trading under the firm of John & Reuben Withers, Complainants,
AGAINST

Thomas Swann, Colin Auld and Edmund I. Lee, assignees of the late Merchants' Bank of Alexandria; and John Anderson, James Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Beall, William H. S. Boswell, Edmund Brooke, Benjamin Baden, Thomas K. Bealle, James Bloxham, George Bruce, junior, Richard Wood, Thomas Cookendorfer, Hugh Carolin, Daniel Cawood, Samuel Chester, John Corse and Nathaniel Rounsavell, trading under the firm of Corse and Rounsavell; George Coleman, John Cohagen, James H. Dulany, Camillus Griffith, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Robert Hall, John Jackson, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson and Daniel McPherson, late joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of John McPherson & Son; Daniel McPherson, Charles Moxley, Alexander Moore, Thomas Mount, James R. Riddle, administrator of Ferdinand Marsteller, Joseph Mandeville, Joseph Mandeville and Samuel B. Larmour, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Mandeville & Larmour; Robert Mandeville and James Mandeville, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Robert & James Mandeville; William N. Mills, Robert A. Mills, Thomas Pickerrill, Craven T. Peyton, Noblet Herbert, administrator of William Paton, junior; Thomas Neill, Thomas Olive, James R. Riddle, Nathaniel Rounsavell, Thomas Rigdon, Peter Saunders, Daniel Somers, James S. Scott, John A. Stewart, William Smith, Thomas Sommes, Thomson Simpson, Evan P. Taylor, William A. Linton, executor of William Tyler, Ambrose Vase, Robert N. Windsor, Robert Young, Cave Withers, Richard Wells, the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, the Bank of Washington, Bank of the Metropolis, Bank of Georgetown and Washington, Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the Bank of Chambersburg, Bank of Waterford, the Bank of Winchester, Defendants.

THE defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Sam'l. Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Tho's. Pickerrill, Tho's. Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, William Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, are not inhabitants of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said absent defendants do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter their appearance to this suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy,
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
January 21

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

Mark Butts and Grafton Cawood, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Butts & Cawood, Complainants,
AGAINST

Thomas Roberts, William Paton, Jonathan Butcher, and John B. Paton, the three last joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Paton & Butcher; and Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, Defendants.

THE defendant Thomas Roberts not having entered his appearance to this suit, and given security according to the statute and rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant Thomas W. Peyton, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant, Thomas W. Peyton, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant, William H. Dundass, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendant, Thomas W. Peyton, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in one of the public newspapers published in this county, for two months successively; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house in said county.

A copy,
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
January 22

To Ship-owners.

MASTERS OF VESSELS & OTHERS
THE subscriber (late from England) makes his services to clean and repair all sorts of Ship's Compasses, Quadrants, Sextants, &c. in the best manner, at his house on Prince street, between Pitt and St. Asaph streets.

October 24 DANIEL MUNRO.

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

Romulus Riggs, Complainant,
AGAINST

Thomas Swann, Colin Auld, and Edmund I. Lee, assignees of the late Merchants' Bank of Alexandria; and John Anderson, James Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Beall, William H. S. Boswell, Edmund Brooke, Benjamin Baden, Thomas K. Bealle, James Bloxham, George Bruce, junior, Richard Wood, Thomas Cookendorfer, Hugh Carolin, Daniel Cawood, Samuel Chester, John Corse and Nathaniel Rounsavell, trading under the firm of Corse & Rounsavell; George Coleman, John Cohagen, James H. Dulany, Camillus Griffith, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Robert Hall, John Jackson, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson and Daniel McPherson, late joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of John McPherson & Son; Daniel McPherson, Charles Moxley, Alexander Moore, Thomas Mount, James R. Riddle, administrator of Ferdinand Marsteller, Joseph Mandeville, Joseph Mandeville and Samuel B. Larmour, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Mandeville & Larmour; Robert Mandeville and James Mandeville, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Robert & James Mandeville; William N. Mills, Robert A. Mills, Thomas Pickerrill, Craven T. Peyton, Noblet Herbert, administrator of William Paton, junior; Thomas Neill, Thomas Olive, James R. Riddle, Nathaniel Rounsavell, Thomas Rigdon, Peter Saunders, Daniel Somers, James S. Scott, John A. Stewart, William Smith, Thomas Sommes, Thomson Simpson, Evan P. Taylor, William A. Linton, executor of William Tyler, Ambrose Vase, Robert N. Windsor, Robert Young, Cave Withers, Richard Wells, the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, the Bank of Washington, Bank of the Metropolis, Bank of Georgetown and Washington, Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the Bank of Chambersburg, Bank of Waterford, the Bank of Winchester, Defendants.

THE defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Sam'l. Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Tho's. Pickerrill, Tho's. Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, William Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, are not inhabitants of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said absent defendants do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter their appearance to this suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

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January 21

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

Mark Butts and Grafton Cawood, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Butts & Cawood, Complainants,
AGAINST

Thomas Roberts, William Paton, Jonathan Butcher, and John B. Paton, the three last joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Paton & Butcher; and Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, Defendants.

THE defendant Thomas Roberts not having entered his appearance to this suit, and given security according to the statute and rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said Thomas Roberts is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of said complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant, Thomas Roberts, do appear here on the first day of the next term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that the other defendants, Paton & Butcher, Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands, belonging to the said absent defendant, Thomas Roberts, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in this county, for two months successively, in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy,
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
January 22

Wheat.

I wish to purchase several thousand bushels of wheat, for which a liberal price will be given.

9th mo 16 THOMAS V. HUCK.

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term,
IN CHANCERY.

James Sanderson, Complainant,
AGAINST

Catherine F. McCall; and John Creighton and William Gilham, the two last under the firm of John Creighton & Company, Defendants.

THE defendant Catherine F. McCall not having entered her appearance and given security according to the statute and rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Catherine F. McCall, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant, Catherine F. McCall, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter her appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendants, John Creighton & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant Catherine F. McCall, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of the said county.

A copy,
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
January 25

PROPOSALS.

BY JOSEPH M. SANDERSON,
for publishing by subscription,
A BIOGRAPHY OF THE SIGNERS
TO THE

Declaration of Independence,
ACCOMPANIED WITH PLATES;

To which will be annexed a history of the proceedings of Congress during the passage of the law; and the Declaration itself, with fac-simile engravings of the signatures.

By PAUL ALLEN, Esq.

TO THE PUBLIC.

It seems a little surprising that amongst so many subjects as have been presented for American Biography, the lives of those who have affixed their signatures to the Declaration of Independence have been overlooked or disregarded. The eyes of thousands have dwelt with rapture upon the document that announced to the world that "these United Colonies were, and of right ought to be, free, sovereign, and independent states;" while we are better acquainted with the handwriting than with the characters of many of those illustrious men who have added their signatures to that instrument. The founders of the only remaining republic on the globe, have, with a few splendid exceptions, gone to their graves, and it behoves a generous posterity, sensible of their obligations, to preserve their fame. The longer we neglect the payment of so sacred a debt, the more difficult does the payment become.—Trails of individual character are fugitive and evanescent; and if they are not snatched by the hand of the Biographic Muse, at an early season, from the cold grasp of death, will soon partake of the oblivion of the body.—It is not the object of the present attempt, to deal in that profusion of indiscriminate and unsparing panegyric, so often and so falsely dignified with the name of Biography: we wish to represent the characters as they were; they stand in need of no panegyric; and we earnestly solicit from the surviving relations and friends of those revolutionary patriots all the information that will tend to a development of character. Man is the creature of circumstance, and we wish to show the progress of those patriots from their first resistance of colonial aggression, until they stood forth the noble and undaunted champions of their country's independence. All this can only be done by a familiar acquaintance with the lives of these men, and whoever of the surviving friends or relatives will furnish facts and circumstances in their possession to unfold and illustrate their characters, shall be entitled to a copy of the work as a recompense. It is contemplated, wherever it is practicable, further to embellish the meditated work with correct likenesses of the subjects of our biography, executed by the most eminent artists in the country. For this purpose we again solicit the assistance of their surviving relatives and friends. If they will transmit to the publisher any engraving or portrait from which a copy may be taken, the original shall be faithfully returned, and shall likewise be remunerated with a copy of the work. In the first number it is proposed to give an account of the Declaration of Independence, from the first motion that was made on the floor of congress until its final passage into a law, a period embracing much curious and secret history; finally, we promise to add to our last number the Declaration of Independence itself, with fac-simile engravings of the signatures. We have now compendiously stated the objects of our present undertaking, and we hope that it will be unnecessary to mention that no exertions on our part shall be spared.

The public are now in possession of our project, which does indeed seem to be demanded, by the avidity so recently displayed for the possession of the Declaration of Independence, since it is of very little import to become acquainted with a man's hand writing without a previous knowledge of the man. The secret history of our Declaration of Independence, the lives of those who have affixed their signatures to that instrument, accompanied by their likenesses, and finally the Declaration itself with fac-simile of the signatures, will bring into compact view the prominent facts of that interesting crisis.

CONDITIONS.

I. The work will be published in numbers, or half volumes, of 150 pages octavo, and will be contained in ten numbers.
II. It will be printed on fine paper made expressly for the purpose, and delivered to subscribers at two dollars and fifty cents per half volume or number, payable on delivery.

Subscriptions will be received at the office of the Alexandria Gazette.

December 29

Alexandria

Vol. XIX.]

For Freight.

The substantial, well built, fast sailing ship, NEW JERSEY, 400 tons or 4300 barrels, complete order for the reception of cargo. Apply to T. H. HOWLAND, 2nd mo. 6.

For Sale.

A small schooner, well calculated for the approaching fishing season. Also, four casks real Bridport seine twine, a general assortment of rope, tar, scantling, shingles, &c. &c. JOSIAH HEWES, February 15.

For Mobile.

The sloop CYNTHIA, to sail in three days. Two or four passengers can be accommodated. Inquire at E. CORNELL, February 12.

Wanted Immediately.

Wanted to freight or charter a vessel to take 400 bbls. to Mobile. Owners or masters of vessels may apply to the Indian Queen Hotel, Alexandria, February 6.

Liverpool Salt and Coal. FOR SALE, the cargo of the ship, W. Crabtree, jr. master. Liverpool, of salt and coal. Apply to LAWSON & FO, February 6.

For Freight.

The ship HAZARD, burthen 1000 bbls. is in complete order and to load as soon as her present cargo is discharged. Apply as above. January 19.

For Freight.

The sloop ALERT, capt. J. H. carries about 450 barrels, an iron vessel, and will take freight to southern port. Apply to LAWSON & FO, January 14.

Spirits, Sugar, &c.

A FEW puncheons of superior Antigua and Jamaica spirits. Superior Barbados sugar, in hh's. Jamaica pimento. Also, a parcel of cocoa nuts.—On liberal terms at No. 99 Union-st. N. REILL, September 30.

Sales at Vendue.

In every Tuesday and Friday, with us sold, At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince Water streets.

Drugs, Groceries, &c. Particulars of which will be expressed in the bills of the day.

All kinds of goods which are imitations, and the prices of which are inflated, can at any time be viewed and chased at the lowest limitation price. P. G. MARSTELL, January.

Robert Gray

HAS just received on consignment, Walker's octavo Dictionary, standard edition. Ewell's Medical Companion. Virgil, Cicero, Sallust and Horace. Clark's Censor; Ainsworth's Dictionary; Taylor's Enquiry into the Principles of the Government of the U. S.; Taylor's Arator, being a Series of cultural Essays, Practical and Political; School Testament, fine and coarse; Doctor Watts' large and small Catechisms. Preservation from and fables of Childhood and Youth. A few copies of O'Neill's Geography. Dwight's Geography. 1 copy Morse's Universal Geography. 1810. February.

PREMIUMS offered by the Agricultural Society of Virginia, for the year 1818.

1. A premium of fifty dollars on the best essay on the general management of a Virginia farm, founded on experience or observation, and on a good rotation, with the management of live stock, the accumulation of manure, other objects pertaining to the husbandry of a farm.
2. A premium of forty dollars on the best rotation of crops, embracing wheat and clover.
3. A premium of fifty dollars on the best rotation of crops, embracing wheat, clover and tobacco.
4. Premiums of fifty dollars value, given for the best essay founded on experiment on each of the subjects ing, to wit:
 1. The best and most economical of furnishing food for milch cows, sheep, and hogs, from the 1st of May to the 1st of June.
 2. On the best and most economical mode of raising and sustaining hogs.
 3. On the best and most economical of sustaining cattle, sheep and hogs the year.
 4. To the person who shall in greatest quantity of corn upon ten land in one body, in the year 1818 supported by the certificate or affidavits of three disinterested freeholders, and presented to the Society previously to the 1st of December next.

By a standing rule of the Society ordered, that the names of participants for premiums shall not be known, (except to the Secretary, the prize or prizes be adjudged to JOHN ADAMS,